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## COMMITTEE REPORT

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### MR. SPEAKER:

*Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred House Bill 1797, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill **be amended** as follows:*

- 1 Page 1, delete lines 8 through 17.
- 2 Page 2, delete lines 1 through 9.
- 3 Page 2, line 10, delete "4" and insert "2".
- 4 Page 2, line 13, delete "5" and insert "3".
- 5 Page 2, line 13, after "progress" insert "**assistance**".
- 6 Page 2, line 14, delete "IC 20-31.5-3" and insert "**IC 20-31.5-2**".
- 7 Page 2, delete lines 15 through 16.
- 8 Page 2, line 17, delete "7" and insert "4".
- 9 Page 2, line 18, after "(1) a" insert "**middle school or junior high**".
- 10 Page 2, line 19, after "school" insert "**that includes grades 5**
- 11 **through 8**".
- 12 Page 2, line 20, delete "8" and insert "5".
- 13 Page 2, delete lines 23 through 42.

- 1 Delete pages 3 through 5.
- 2 Page 6, delete lines 1 through 37.
- 3 Page 6, line 38, delete "4" and insert "2".
- 4 Page 6, line 38, after "Academic" insert "**Achievement**".
- 5 Page 6, line 41, delete "department, including schools with students
- 6 who do not:" and insert "**department.**".
- 7 Page 6, delete line 42.
- 8 Page 7, delete lines 1 through 3.
- 9 Page 7, line 4, after "academic" insert "**achievement**".
- 10 Page 7, line 6, after "academic" insert "**achievement**".
- 11 Page 7, line 10, delete "become a" and insert "**improve its**
- 12 **academic progress**".
- 13 Page 7, line 11, delete "commendable school".
- 14 Page 7, line 14, delete "For a school that includes kindergarten and
- 15 grades 1 and" and insert "**Subject to IC 20-31-5 and IC 20-29, a plan**
- 16 **must include options to provide additional instructional activities**
- 17 **for a student, group of students, or the school, including:**
- 18 (1) up to one and one-half (1.5) hours of additional
- 19 instructional time added to the school day; or
- 20 (2) up to twenty (20) additional days added to the school
- 21 year.".
- 22 Page 7, delete lines 15 through 42.
- 23 Page 8, delete lines 1 through 27.
- 24 Page 8, line 28, delete "For a school that includes grades 3 through
- 25 8, or any" and insert "**Subject to IC 20-29, an increase in**
- 26 **professional development activities under IC 20-20-30 must be**
- 27 **provided to provide the equivalent of ten (10) instructional days for**
- 28 **all teachers in the school that focus on the specific curriculum and**
- 29 **instructional strategies implemented by the school. Activities**
- 30 **conducted under this section must provide for the school's**
- 31 **certificated employees to continuously review and improve the**
- 32 **school's curriculum and instruction.**
- 33 **Sec. 6. The department shall develop guidelines and the state**
- 34 **board shall adopt rules under IC 4-22-2 concerning the academic**
- 35 **achievement assistance program based on effective practices to**
- 36 **improve student achievement.**
- 37 SECTION 2. [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2007] (a) As used in this
- 38 SECTION:

- 1           (1) "committee" refers to a school's strategic and continuous  
 2           school improvement and achievement committee described in  
 3           IC 20-31-2-4;  
 4           (2) "department" refers to the department of education  
 5           established by IC 20-19-3-1;  
 6           (3) "plan" refers to an academic achievement progress  
 7           assistance plan developed under IC 20-31.5-2, as added by this  
 8           act; and  
 9           (4) "school" has the meaning set forth in IC 20-31.5-1-4, as  
 10          added by this act.  
 11          (b) The department shall develop and administer a pilot  
 12          program to assist schools in carrying out the provisions of  
 13          IC 20-31.5-2, as added by this act.  
 14          (c) The department shall accept an application from a school  
 15          described in IC 20-31.5-2-1, as added by this act, for a grant to  
 16          fund the plan developed by the school's committee.  
 17          (d) A school that receives a grant under this SECTION must  
 18          submit a report to the department concerning the use of the grant.  
 19          (e) This SECTION expires June 30, 2009."  
 20          Page 8, delete lines 29 through 42.  
 21          Page 9, delete lines 1 through 2.  
 22          Renumber all SECTIONS consecutively.  
           (Reference is to HB 1797 as printed February 2, 2007.)

**and when so amended that said bill do pass.**

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Representative Crawford